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First Applicant	: Mitchem, et al.	Art Unit	: 2616
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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §§ 1.322 AND 1.323**

Via EFS-Web

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Commissioner:

A Certificate of Correction for the above-referenced U.S. Patent is sought herein pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §§ 254 and 255. This petition is presented in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.322 and 1.323.

Certificate of Correction – Office’s Mistake (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.322)

The corrections sought herein are to correct mistakes, that were incurred through fault of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (the “Office”), and are clearly disclosed through the records of the Office.

The Office is requested to make the following corrections to the issued patent to conform the references cited in the issued patent to the information disclosure statement submitted by the Applicant, filed 02 July 2003.

A Certificate of Correction PTO/SB/44 is attached.

- In page 2, left column, Other Publications, line 8 of the patent delete “Subsidiary” and insert --subsidiary-- therefor. (See considered information disclosure statement by applicant filed 02 July 2003 sheet 2 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 5, line 1.)
- In page 2, left column, Other Publications, line 16 of the patent delete “Least” and insert --least-- therefor. (See considered information disclosure statement by applicant filed 02 July 2003, sheet 3 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 4, line 1.)
- In page 2, left column, Other Publications, line 22 of the patent delete “1988” and insert --1998-- therefor. (See considered information disclosure statement by applicant filed 02 July 2003, sheet 3 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 6, line 1.)
- In page 2, right column, Other Publications, line 14 of the patent delete “Manger” and insert --Manager-- therefor. (See considered information disclosure statement by applicant filed 02 July 2003, sheet 4 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 3, line 1.)
- In page 2, right column, Other Publications, line 57 of the patent delete “1997.” and insert --1997,-- therefor. (See considered information disclosure statement by applicant filed 02 July 2003, sheet 5 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 9, line 2.)
- In page 2, right column, Other Publications, line 70 of the patent delete “Gilbert,” and insert --Gilbert-- therefor. (See considered information disclosure statement by applicant filed 02 July 2003, sheet 6 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 4, line 1.)
- In page 3, left column, Other Publications, line 5 of the patent delete “With” and insert --with-- therefor. (See considered information disclosure statement by applicant filed 02 July 2003, sheet 6 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 7, line 1.)
- In page 3, left column, Other Publications, line 31 of the patent delete “Availabe].” and insert --Available].-- therefor. (See considered information disclosure statement by applicant filed 02 July 2003, sheet 7 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 4, line 2.)

- In page 3, left column, Other Publications, line 39 of the patent delete “eds.” and insert --eds,-- therefor. (See considered information disclosure statement by applicant filed 02 July 2003, sheet 7 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 7, line 3.)
- In page 3, left column, Other Publications, line 69 of the patent delete “27.” and insert --27,-- therefor. (See considered information disclosure statement by applicant filed 02 July 2003, sheet 8 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 10, line 1.)

Certificate of Correction – Applicant’s Mistake (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.323)

The corrections sought herein are to correct mistakes, which were incurred through fault of the Applicant, and are clearly disclosed through the records of the Office.

In Applicant’s information disclosure statement submitted by the Applicant, filed 02 July 2003, Applicant unintentionally misspelled “Visualization” sheet 6 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 6, line 1 of the considered information disclosure statement.

- In page 3, left column, Other Publications, line 1 of the patent, delete “Visulation,” and insert --Visualization,-- therefor.

In Applicant’s information disclosure statement submitted by the Applicant, filed 02 July 2003, Applicant unintentionally misspelled “Campus Line” sheet 7 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 9, line 1 of the considered information disclosure statement.

- In page 3, left column, Other Publications, line 43 of the patent, delete “Compus-Line” and insert --Campus Line-- therefor.

In Applicant’s information disclosure statement submitted by the Applicant, filed 02 July 2003, Applicant unintentionally misspelled “Heterogeneous” on sheet 9 of 10, Non-Patent Literature, entry 3, line 1 of the considered information disclosure statement.

- In page 3, right column, Other Publications, line 9 of the patent, delete “Hetergenous” and insert --Heterogeneous-- therefor.

In Applicant's original specification filed 02 July 2003, Applicant unintentionally misspelled "I/O" on page 2, line 3 in the specification.

- In column 1, line 42 of the patent, delete "I/O" and insert --I/O-- therefor.

In Applicant's original specification filed 02 July 2003, Applicant unintentionally failed to include an "s" in "as" on page 4, line 13 in the specification, rendering the sentence grammatically incorrect.

- In column 3, line 2 of the patent, delete "a" and insert --as-- therefor.

In Applicant's original specification filed 02 July 2003, Applicant unintentionally included an apostrophe with "fiber" on page 5, line 8 in the specification, when quotation marks were proper.

- In column 3, line 36 of the patent, delete " "fiber" " and insert --"fiber"-- therefor.

In Applicant's original specification filed 02 July 2003, Applicant unintentionally failed to include an "f" in "of" on page 8, line 28 in the specification, rendering the sentence grammatically incorrect.

- In column 5, line 48 of the patent, delete "o" and insert --of-- therefor.

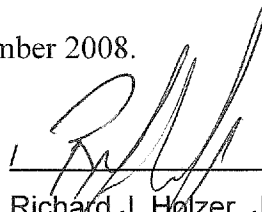
Conclusion

Applicant's representative respectfully requests that a Certificate of Correction be issued for the above-referenced application. As the corrections requested herein were due to both the Office and the Applicant's mistake, please charge \$100 to the credit card submitted herewith pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.20(a).

The Applicant believes no further fees or petitions are required. However, if any such petitions or fees are necessary, please consider this a request therefor and authorization to charge

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

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